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COMING EVENTS

June 21 Commencement exercises at Union High at 8 p. m.

June 21 Closing meeting of Thursday Club and installation of officers.

June 22 All-day meeting of N. P. Banks Post and W. R. C. at G. A. R. Hall.

June 23 Dance of High School Alumni at Masonic Temple.

June 25 Meeting of Tropico Red Cross Auxiliary at Cerritos School at 1 o'clock.

June 27 Annual business meeting of U. and I. Club.

June 28 Meeting of Presbyterian Woman's Missionary Society at home of O. P. Rider at 2:30 o'clock.

July 3 Dance by Acacia School Club at K. of P. Hall, 8 p. m.

July 4 Epworth League Picnic at Hermosa Beach.

July 4 Patriotic celebration and Dance on Tropico Play Grounds by Roharo Club.

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Tropico must not fail to do its bit in equipping the Red Cross. We shall have men of our own at the front and we cannot afford to be niggardly or leave ourselves any room for reproach if supplies are lacking which America should have furnished. If we can afford to give our sons, we can surely afford to give the meagre amount asked from each one of us to provide for their care and comfort if wounded.

Representatives of the Tropico Red Cross Auxiliary will call at every home and place of business during the week and get your subscriptions. On every membership the local organization will be allowed a credit of fifty per cent which can be applied on the purchase of materials which our needlewomen will make into sheets, comfort bags and other needed supplies. Straight donations will go into the local treasury and all will be used for purchasing material which will be bought at wholesale prices.

Mrs. Bacon, Chairman, has also asked the Sentinel to ask its readers to save for the auxiliary old newspapers, tin foil and clean white rags.

The following persons have undertaken to canvass for memberships and donations: Mesdames G. M. Adams, S. E. Brown, William Crawford, Robert Danner, William Dransfield, J. W. Gould, Clara Hamilton, L. C. Haynes, George Howe, Robert Kennedy, Chauncey Lake, Merritt Ludden, E. Moniot, Ernest Morgan, Susie Peck, Frank Peters, Mr. W. J. Hibert, Mrs. College, Mrs. Wood, Misses Blanche Shea, H. M. Hazard and E. G. Gibbs.

TROPICO'S RESPONSE

Liberty bond purchases in Tropico are known to have reached a total of $24,000 and it is not improbable that the full amount bought by residents of this city will equal $30,000. Subscriptions of $18,000 were made through the First National Bank of this city which made loans amounting to $5000 to parties who wished to pay in installments, the bank charging only 3½ per cent interest on the loan. Employes of the Box Factory are credited with taking $1800. Men in the Pacific Tile Works subscribed for $500. Mr. Norton C. Wells and the employes of the Forest Lawn Company took $2250 worth of bonds. Tropico's share was $21,000. It is cheering to know that she did her bit and more.

Mrs. F. R. Jones has gone to Monroe, Michigan, to join her husband and her son Leo, both of whom are in the employ of one of the railroads of Michigan. Mrs. Jones expects to be absent about two years.

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GLENDALE ORDINANCE INVALID

A decision which is of great interest because it concerns the right of a municipality to undertake to protect home industries by imposing a heavy license tax on outside concerns attempting to solicit business in the city, has just been rendered by Judge Paul McCormick of the Superior Court in the case of Glendale against M. W. Moss representing the Crown Laundry Company of Los Angeles. Glendale exacts a license fee of $100 from the representatives of all "foreign" laundry companies who seek business in that city. The license is payable semi-annually in installments of $50. One year ago Mr. Moss was arrested and fined for violation of the license ordinance, by the Glendale City Recorder but the fine was remitted. Last January he was again arrested and fined $25 for a second violation of the ordinance. Under protest he paid the license fee of $100 and engaged an attorney who carried the case to the Superior Court. It was placed on the docket of Judge McCormick who rendered a decision June 16th reversing the decision of the Recorder's Court of Glendale, discharging Mr. Moss, and holding that the Glendale ordinance was invalid and void, because partial, unfair and discriminatory. He based his ruling on a decision of the District Court of Appeals which found that a city cannot discriminate between outside and local laundries. Under the Glendale ordinance Mr. Moss was required to pay $100 a year for the use of Glendale streets.

Mr. Moss is a resident of Tropico and is opposing any consolidation of this city with Glendale. The attorney who handled his case is Mr. George Moore of Seventh Street, Glendale.

P. T. A. FEDERATION

Mrs. Ella Richardson, president of the Cerritos P. T. A. was one of a party of ladies which included Mesdames Mary O'Brien, Jess Chappius, E. A. Glassburn, L. Goodrich, Rose John, and James Barnett, who attended the P. T. A. Federation meeting held at the home of Mrs. Ewins on Verdugo Road in Glendale last Monday afternoon. Mrs. Charles Hutchinson made a report of the State Federation meeting at Sacramento and installed officers for the coming year. She was presented with a gold watch and bracelet in appreciation of her official services of the past year. Excellent talks were made by Dr. Peters and Dr. Jessie Russell, president of the State organization.

Take a membership in the Red Cross and make a donation to the Tropico Red Cross Auxiliary.

July 4th the Epworth League will go by auto truck to Hermosa Beach for a picnic.

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THE RED CROSS

The meeting of the Tropico Red Cross Auxiliary at the City Hall last Monday evening was a sober affair. Mr. Cass, chairman of the committee of forty-two speakers maintained by the Los Angeles Chapter, and one of its most effective organizers, came out to explain the needs of this branch of our war service. He did not mince matters but told the hard facts of the proposition which America is facing in a way that blanched the cheeks of many of his auditors and sent one mother weeping from the room.

About fifty men and women were present. Mrs. E. V. Bacon, as Auxiliary chairman, presided. Mrs. Hattie Tiffany, secretary, read most excellent minutes of the previous organization meeting, and also read President Wilson's proclamation of Red Cross Week. The vacancy in the office of treasurer was filled by the election of Mr. Charles Cushing.

Mr. Frank E. Peters, President of the Board of City Trustees, introduced the speaker, who expects soon to be on the French firing line himself. Advancing to the railing of the platform he looked steadily and seriously into the faces of his auditors and said:

"America has been at war for two months—and the nation sleeps." Tracing the rise and fall of the peoples who have made history from the Egyptians to the Romans, and stating what each has stood for, he declared that the moment each failed to live up to the mission assigned to it in the order of Providence it ceased to exist as a world power.

"To Spain," said he, "was given the task of carrying civilization to the new world. It failed, and it is gone as a nation. It does not exist as a world power. Our country, the United States of America, was created to carry the message of freedom, of succor to the helpless thoroughout the world. We had a test of our ability in 1860. We are now engaged in war to determine whether we shall still be allowed to exist. If America fails to respond to the cry of the helpless, America will not last ten years. I have heard it said in all seriousness that the American soldiers would never see France, that the war would be over in three months. I come tonight from President Wilson to say to you that this war will not be through in two years, it will not be through in three years. We are in the war for our very existence. You hear that Germany is about to be starved out. That is not so. Along 2000 miles of the frontier of the German allies are pouring in all the food resources of Russia. Though nominally an ally, the government cannot prevent this trade with the enemy. We are asked to give $100,000,000 to the Red Cross of America. We are going to send 2,000,000 troops immediately. That means $50 to a soldier. One hundred million dollars sounds like a large sum but before Christmas you will give another million and before this war is ended you will give one billion and give it gladly. You will give it because they are going to take one man out of every ten in America and send them to Europe. Each of you people know ten others. That means that fifty of the people you know will be in France. Those people you know will be called upon some morning to leave the trenches, cross a mile of land that has been made a hell by artillery fire, and if history repeats itself, of the fifty men you know five will come back to the trenches unhurt, twenty will come back carried. A few will manage to live and get captured by Germans, but if you do not give the amount asked now and the amount asked for in the future, the twenty men that come back wounded will never come back to Tropico, because that is what the American Red Cross means.

"The American army is divided into the force that battles and the force that saves. The force that battles is being equipped at an expense of $7,000,000,000. The force that saves will need to be equipped just as well. The wounded at the front are now being plastered up with old newspapers and straw because there are not enough supplies in Europe to take care of the wounded.

"Germany followed her soldiers with an army of doctors, nurses and hospital organizations and saved all but ten per cent of her wounded. England, unequipped, lost 50 per cent of her wounded. There will be the same situation for America unless you people give and give and give again, until you have given the last dollar in your pocket book.

"God created the nations for specific purposes. Germany was undoubtedly created to bring home to the world the wickedness of the waste of materials that has been going on. If we had one iota of the German efficiency, for every man who goes to the front there would be a trained person at home to take care of him."

Mr. Cass then spoke of the heavy work of the hospital units at the front within fifty feet of the firing line.

Following the address Mr. Todd reinforced by Mr. Curtis offered on behalf of the fathers of the Acacia School Club to turn over to the Auxiliary all profits realized from a dance to be given by the Club July 3rd.

Mrs. Tiffany stated that the Los Angeles Y. M. C. A. was offering to forward to the camps all the magazines the public would contribute. She also repeated the advice given at L. A. headquarters to insert jokes and bits of cheerful reading in the comfort bags the Auxiliary is undertaking to make.

Mrs. E. V. Bacon, Chairman, announced that she had appointed Mrs. Charles A. Barker chairman of membership, Mrs. Leigh Bancroft chairman of supplies, and Miss Gibbs chairman of publicity. Later Mrs. Barker reported that the town had been thoroughly districted and canvassers secured to cover every street. Mrs. Bacon stated that the Auxiliary had been given a fifty per cent credit on the 25 memberships secured by Mrs. A. L. Bancroft, and had also received a contribution of $5 from the City Treasury by vote of the trustees, and the use of the Council Chamber. Mrs. Leigh Bancroft reported the purchase of a bolt of unbleached muslin—42 yards of material—at a cost of $15.75 and thread $1.05, it being the purpose to manufacture the cloth into 21 sheets. Several ladies volunteered the loan of sewing machines and electric motors and the preferred meeting place seemed to be the City Hall. In the absence of definite arrangements a meeting was called for Monday afternoon, June 25th at 1 o'clock at the Cerritos School to make up the material purchased by Mrs. Bancroft.

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MRS. MAXWELL INJURED

Mr. Guy Maxwell returned to Tropico from Ludlow, at the foot of Death's Valley, to spend the week end. He came because of his anxiety for the health of his parents who were in an auto accident last week. It was thought at the time that no one in the Maxwell party was seriously hurt but since then Mrs. J. R. Maxwell has developed symptoms of internal inury from a blow just below the heart. Mr. Maxwell says the general opinion prevails that the cause of the accident was the speed of the auto bus which was running in excess of the limit. He also states that the Company has made overtures to his father for a settlement outside of court. At this writing it is reported that Dr. Perry stands a chance of recovery though a crushed vertebra may have to be removed. She is an osteopathic physicion and has been associated in practice with Dr. Obear of Glendale, her close friend. Attendants at the Glendale Sanitarium refuse to make any statement relative to her chances for recovery.

LOOK OUT FOR FIRES

Warnings are being sent to Chambers of Commerce and to the newspapers generally about the danger of loss from fires. Not only will crops be endangered but the loss in time and labor of men withdrawn from important avocations must be reckoned with. Lighted matches dropped by the roadside are a common cause of fires, also cigarettes, particularly when the fields are hot and dry as at present. A grass fire in Victor Court last week called out the engine which broke down on the way. One of the pins of an exhaust valve broke and dropped into the cylinder, putting the engine out of commission. Fortunately the firemen were able to extinguish the blaze with wet sacks and spades. Had the blaze gotten ahead of them Tropico might have had a serious fire. There have also been bad gass fires near Lankershim and near Eagle Rock.

Miss Rose Virden is much concerned to learn the fate of her friends at Nordhoff (or Ojai) whom she visited last winter and who recently moved into a beautiful new home in that city.

FOURTH OF JULY DANCE

Preparations are being made to make the dance and celebration at the Tropico Playgrounds, July 4th, one that will be remembered. There will be dancing on the huge court and while merry dancers glide to the strains of the music, sky rockets will soar upward, and the echoes of huge fire crackers will mingle with those of the orchestra.

The advertising committee report that large placards, dodgers, and other advertising, have been printed and will be distributed along the various boulevards and in the cities up the valley, in order that our neighbors may come and enjoy our hospitality.

Mr. Robert Taylor, who has charge of the Fireworks states that the exhibition will be as large as he can make it. He is busy getting the contributions for it. He says that everybody interviewed so far has been very enthusiastic, because Tropico people can stay at home and have a good time on the Fourth.

There will be quite a few extras on the program, which have not been worked out yet, but which will include Fancy and Prize Dancing, Refreshments, etc. Committees have been appointed to see that everybody present will have a good time. Everybody is invited.

MR. BRAND ENTERTAINS

Mr. Arthur Campbell returned last Thursday from an outing in Mono County where, with a party of seventeen other men he was the guest of Mr. L. C. Brand who has a summer mountain home on Levening Creek near the Nevada line. It is a beautiful wooded camp at an elevation of 8600 feet, is about 370 miles from Los Angeles but is within easy reach by automobile. The party spent two weeks with Mr. Brand fishing, riding horseback and enjoying all the pleasures of a mountain trip. On several mornings there was ice in the pools. Mr. Brand is a expert fisherman who never fails to bring in the limit, and he is also an ideal host who gave his guests a royal time. Mr. Campbell is very enthusiastic over his trip.

Help carry the cross, the Red Cross. Only $1 is needed to make you an active or a passive member.

A PRETTY LUNCHEON

The luncheon given by the Board of Directors of the Thursday Afternoon Club in compliment to Mrs. Charles Wallace Kimberly who has been president of the organization the past year, was a very pretty affair. It was given at the home of Mrs. Ella Richardson on North Central avenue and was a four-course function prepared and served by Miss Eula Richardson assisted by some of the Board members. Covers were laid for eleven. The house had been beautifully decorated with roses, gladioli and ferns by Mrs. George Henry and Mr. Woolsey. There were great jars of these flowers and the windows of the dining room were festooned with asparagus plumosa and roses. The table was centered with a very beautiful flower bowl and frog which was later presented to Mrs. Kimberly by Mrs. George Henry as a gift from the Board. In the bowl were ferns, roses and South African daisies.

The place cards were of Japanese design and were brought from the Flowery Kingdom by Miss Richardson. Boutonniere bouquets of roses constituted the favors.

Mrs. C. H. Woolsey acted as toast mistress and in the course of the luncheon read "Out Where the West Begins,' a very effective poem written by an old schoolmate of hers. Toasts were offered by Mesdames Edwin Virden, Ella Richardson and H. W. Fleming, and by Miss Ida Myers. Other guests beside the guest of honor were: Mrs. J. H. Smith, Mrs. Wesley Bullis, Mrs. A. J. Becker, and Mrs. H. V. Findley and of course Mrs. Richardson.

At the conclusion the Board members sang a song in honor of Mrs. Kimberly written by Mrs. H. W. Fleming and set to the tune of Tipperary.

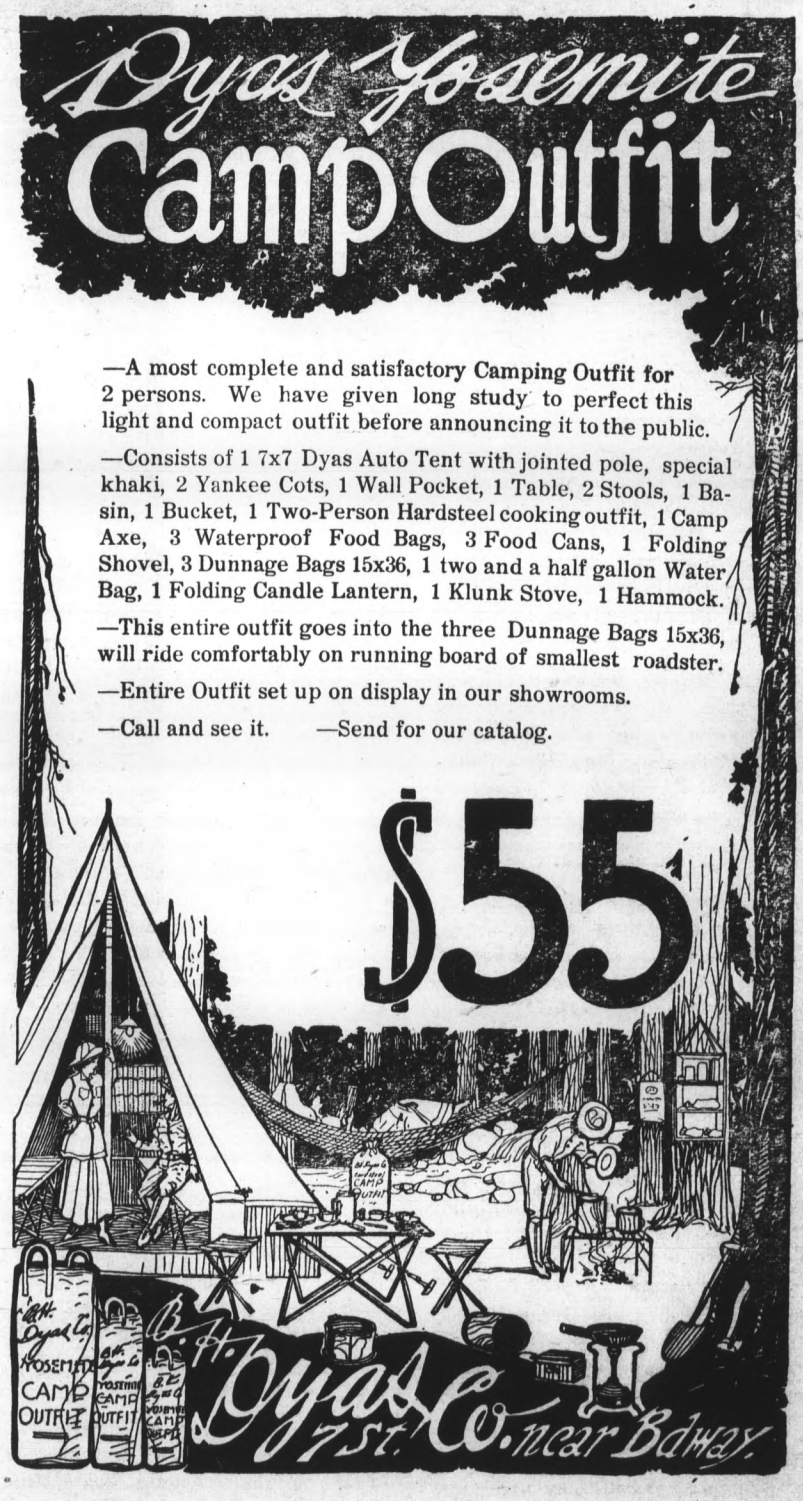
Mrs. J. B. Hayes, mother of Mrs. W. R. Alexander of Blanche avenue, is spending the week in San Gabriel.

MRS. SEAMAN HONORED

Mrs. Wesley Bullis entertained with a luncheon last Friday in honor of Mrs. John Seaman who will soon leave Tropico with her family to join Mr. Seaman in Ohio. Covers were laid for thirteen but one guest sent regrets so all fears of ill-luck were removed. Pink and white Shirley poppies centered the table and place cards which were pretty and patriotic bore a flag design.

Guests were: Mesdames John Seaman, William Harvey, Jr., J. Herbert Smith, Neal Chandler, Andrew Stephenson, C. R. Carmack, Grace Hobbs, Hal Davenport, John Logan, Charles A. Barker, Ernest Morgan and Miss Charlotte Castle.

Children's Day was observed at the Tropico Methodist church Sunday, June 17th, with appropriate exercises.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LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Mrs. John Seaman has been much disturbed by reports of the serious illness of her father, Dr. Weston of Chicago, and has been hurrying her preparations for departure. Recent reports are more reassuring and unless there is some change in conditions she and her children will remain in Tropico until about the 30th, when they will leave for Middletown, Ohio, to join Mr. Seaman.

A party of high school boys and girls which included Cecilia Lyon, Lila Shea, Helen McMullin, Eloise Seaman, Lyndon Keyes, Walter Beach, Sidney Simon, Lawrence Davis and Mrs. Simon motored to Brookside Park, Monday, and spent a delightful afternoon.

As usual, Tropico decorated for the Baccalaureate Address delivered last Sunday evening at the new Methodist Church in Glendale. Miss Eloise Seaman and Robert Carmack performed the service, using ferns and Matillaja poppies.

Miss Elizabeth Sanford spent the week end at the home of her uncle, W. R. Alexander of Blanche Avenue. She was graduated today from the L. A. Normal regular course. Her vacation will be spent at her home in Bishop, and she will teach the coming year at Spandra.

Miss Ruth Rider leaves today for an auto trip to the Yosemite with old friends at LongBeach. She will be gone about a month and will be joined there by her father and mother early in July.

Miss Lois Duncan, daughter of Dr. Duncan, was graduated from the kindergarten course at the Los Angeles Normal today.

Mrs. Augusta Haefke was given a birthday surprise Wednesday afternoon at her home, 409 W. Tenth- street by fellow members of the Kensington Club.

Union High is this year sending out 74 graduates, eight of whom are from Tropico, viz., Phyllis Adam, Hope Armstrong, Majorie Imler, Leslie Kepler, Homer K. Morgan, Lillian May Schick, Sarah Fay Snell and Rafael L. Verdugo.

Twenty-one of the class have received the gold honor pins which the school bestows for excellent work.

The Womans Missionary Society of the Presbyterian church will meet at the home of Rev. O. P. Rider Thursday afternoon, June 28th at 2:30 o'clock. The subject will be: "What shall we do for the Imigrant," the leader being Mrs. S. E. Brown.

Mr. Auley Wilkins of Vermilion, Ill., was a visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Augustus last Wednesday. They also had the pleasure of entertaining at dinner on Thursday, Mr. and Mrs. Watts and their two children of Los Vegas, Calif.

Miss Pauline Hamilton left for the east Saturday morning, via the Santa Fe. She goes first to Ceder Falls, from there to Chicago, and may go as far east as Washington. She will probably be absent all summer. She was accompanied as far as Kansas City by Miss Mamie Fenton, who has spent the winter with her mother in Glendale.

Mrs. William Mabry and two daughters left Sunday for Salt Lake City, where they will visit Mrs. Mabry's mother. They will probably be gone about a month.

Misses Eunice and Irene Jones have returned to Tropico from New Mexico, where Eunice has been teaching. They will spend the summer with their sister Esther, in the Snyder apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Ripley returned from San Diego last Friday evening and are busily engaged in settling their new home in Labree Court.

Tropico friends of Miss Anna C. Anderson and sister have received announcements of the marriage of Elsie May Anderson to Mr. Wesley Leon Markleroad May 29, in Salt Lake City.

Mrs. Amy Isabella Peabody has advised the Sentinel that a poem recently composed by her and inspired by the loss of her brother has been accepted by a New York magazine which has sent her a cheque for $50. with a request for more. She is much encouraged by the financial returns from her pen.

The Tropico Chamber of Commerce met last Thursday evening but transacted no business. Matters connected with the war, and the issues connected with consolidation and annexation campaigns were discussed but no official action taken

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Miss Eleanor Whiting, of Glendale, entertained Mrs. Amy Isabella Peabody of Glendale Avenue, Saturday at the Sierra Madre Club for luncheon and Pantages for the afternoon, and then the two ladies dinned at McKees.

Judge and Mrs. J. G. Owen of Los Angeles have taken the place on Moore avenue vacated by Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Saunders. The Owens wanted more room for poultry and a garden than they had in Los Angeles.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry P. Goodwin entertained at dinner Monday evening in honor of Miss Laura F. Stone of San Francisco. Pink was the dominating note in color scheme carried out in candle shades and in the floral decorations, a bowl of pink roses pierced with pink and blue larkspur centering the table. Corsage boquets constituted the favors.

Mr. Jessie E. Smith, Glendale agent for the Ford Automobile, is expecting to be called to Rochester, Minn., to the bed side of hisfat her, who is critically ill.

Last Sunday was "some hot" in Tropico. Mercury in the big thermometer at the Tropico Pharmacy climbed to 111 at eleven o'clock and continued stationary at that figure until 3 o'clock, when it gradually receded to a livable temperature. The big fires at Nordhoff and Chatsworth were no doubt responsible in some measure for the intense heat.

THE BURBANK

So great was the popularity of the Royal Fillipino Orchestaa, secured by the Burbank Theatre, that it was persuaded to remain another week. It is from the Conservatory of Music of the Philippine Islands, and is a decided novelty which has been welcomed by music lovers. The program also includes an excellent variety of vaudeville and the 5-act photo play, "The Recoil" which is a secret service thriller.

AL SAUNDERS COMING

A rare treat is in store for Tropico people at the evening Union Service in the M. E. Church, Sunday, June 24.

About a year and a half ago, Rev. O. P. Rider took for the theme of his evening sermon—The marvelous Conversion of Al Saunders, Fish Merchant of Scranton, Pa.

Now, Al Saunders himself, is in Los Angeles speaking in the big churches and at great gatherings of laymen.

He is said to be the most noted trail hitter that Billy Sunday has ever had.

Through the combined efforts of the pastors of this city he is to come here and tell this same marvelous story. Let us crowd the Church to hear him.

The Valley P. T. A. will have a hay ride excursion to Santa Monica June 30th.

THURSDAY RATE TO BEACHES

The Pacific Electric Railway is announcing special Thursday excursions from Los Angeles to the beaches for 25 cents for the round trip, or children under 12 years of age for 15c. June 21st tickets will be sold at this rate to San Pedro, Long Beach, Seal Beach and Anaheim Landing. June 28th they will be sold to Santa Monica, Ocean Park, Venice, Playa Del Rey, Manhattan, Hermosa and Redondo. This opportunity is particularly for women and children.

A reception in honor of Dr. Jessie Russell, State President of Federated Parent Teacher Association, will be held at the Alexandra Hotel in Los Angeles June 30th. Members of the Tropico Association are invited to attend.

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BIRTHDAY PARTY

A delightful dancing party was given by Mrs. William E. Peterson at her home, 316 Blanche avenue, Saturday evening, June 16th, in celebration of her husband's birthday. Dancing was enjoyed until a late hour when refreshments were served, and friends departed after wishing Mr. Peterson many happy returns of the day.

Among the guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Page of Oakland, Mr. and Mrs. George Alexander of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Lowry, of Glendale, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Curtis, Mrs. Howland, Mr and Mrs. A. H Gaarder, Mr. C. C. Rittenhouse, Dr. Pearl Shrode Rittenhouse, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Fox, Mr. and Mrs. John Fox, Messrs. and Mesdames John Grant, W. W. Dunham, George H. Peterson, William E. Peterson, Miss Augusta Patterson, Dorothea Peterson and George Peterson, Jr.

WEDDING AT M. E. CHURCH

The monthly social of the Methodist Ladie's Aid Society, held Tuesday evening in the social hall of the church was a largely attended and highly successful affair. The chief feature of the program was a mock wedding in which Dr. Lucas figured as groom, Will Marple as bride, Will Hewitt as bridesmaid, and Rev. Don S. Ford as best man. The Carpenter twins were train bearers and Richard and Tommy Wilson personated flower girls. Roger Baker was clergyman. The one-ring ceremony was used, the ring being a large tin jewel. Photographs of the bridal party were taken by Robert Morton. Wedding decorations included a large floral bell under which the ceremony was performed and conspicous among the refreshments served was a handsome bride's cake. About one hundred guests enjoyed the affair.

Last week Charles McCarthy, who is held as a suspect in the case of assault against Mrs. Nieno, the Japanese woman who is now at the Glendale Sanitorium making a fight for her life, was brought to Glendale and confronted by two Japanese women who were believed to have seen him in Glendale on the day the crime was committed, but they were not able to absolutely identify him as the man they had in mind. McCarthy was taken back to Los Angeles and is being held for twenty days on a charge of vagrancy pending developments. Chief Herald of Glendale has been working hard upon the case and several suspects are being investigated.

TROPICO POET

Citizens of Tropico will be interested to know that C. H. Muhleman, treasurer of its Chamber of Commerce, occasionally woos the muse. Following is a recent production of his pen:

LOSING TO WIN

Life is full of things worth while,
If we live it not in vain;
Yet there's little of joy or peace on earth,
While wrong conditions obtain.

T'were better to perish, and thereby gain
For a trusting posterity,
A world that's just and safe and sane
As the Creator destined it to be.

Let us all then freely give
That which makes for our ideal,
Whether of wealth, or dear ones, or life,
And our fondest dreams become real.

Then if spared, we're living aright;
If slain; no matter the cost,
We personally have won the fight,
Though it appear that we have lost.

SUMMER SCHOOL

Those wishing to enter the six weeks summer school which will commence Monday, June 25th, should communicate with me at once.

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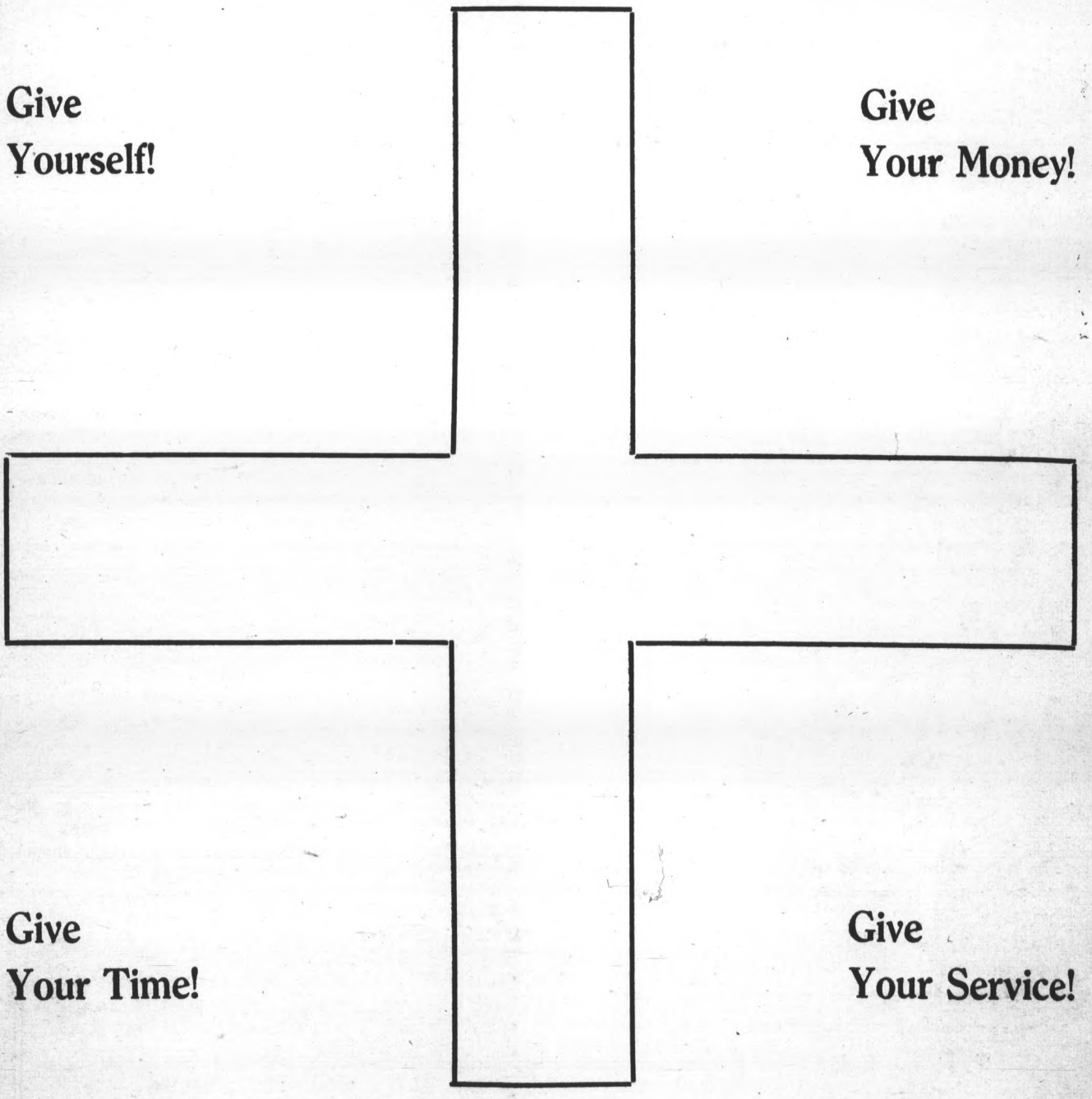

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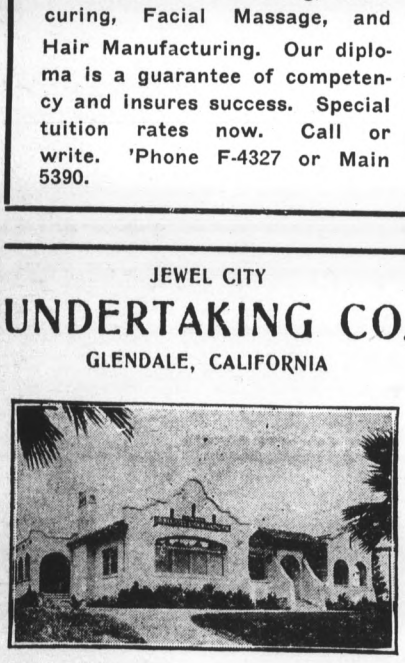

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TRAGEDY ON THE SCREEN

The Sentinel is indebted to Mrs. Amy Isabella Peabody for the following interesting account of a great success as a playwright for the screen which has been achieved by her sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles Edward Peabody, Jr.

The very beautiful Mrs. Charles Edward Peabody, Jr., wife of Charles Edward Peabody of Rutland, Vermont, has just signed a contract with one of the leading picture houses of Hollywood. Mrs. Peabody is a very remarkable woman, being very beautiful and with the promise of great talent, also a glorious voice and an exceptionally youthful appearance. Not only on the screen but in private life—This is much more remarkable when taken into consideration with her sad history and recent bad health for she has only been out of a private sanitarium less than three months where she was confined for over six months with a complete nervous breakdown brought on by the terrible tragedy of her life. She is now receiving offers from several companies for the exclusive history of her life which she is dictating to be published in book form, after which it will be used as an object picture for young girls. It deals entirely with her own life and she is photographing signed letters from members of her own immediate family to be used in their entirety—to show an almost impossible to be believed life of misery. She has named the book and picture "The Tragedy of Motherhood." She is receiving the congratulations and support of hundreds of eastern friends over her wonderful achievement, accomplishing as she has success in spite of almost insurmountable barriers. Mr. and Mrs. Peabody are the parents of two remarkably beautiful children—One is with the father in the East and the other one is with Mrs. Peabody's people. She is cousin by marriage of Mrs. Peabody of Glendale avenue and is entertaining her this week at Long Beach. The two ladies were class mates in the Conservatory of Music of Boston, Mass., and always entertained a very warm regard for each other.

MRS. NEINO IMPROVES

Mrs. Neino, the Japanese woman who was so brutally assaulted at her home in Glendale two weeks ago, is still at the Glendale Sanitarium under the care of Dr. R. E. Chase who reports improvement in her condition. No one is permitted to see her save her husband and he has been instructed not to talk to her. She shows signs of returning consciousness and in response to the questions of the nurse and doctor indicates yes or no by movements of the head, but has not spoken as yet, and no effeort has been made to obtain any statement from her in regard to the crime.

The fearful heat wave which burst upon Southern California last Thursday was disasterous in its effects upon animal and vegetable life, which was quite unprepared because the season up to that time had been exceptionally cool, the mercury seldom exceeding 80 degrees at midday. Thursday it climbed to 102 degrees, and the day following to 104 degrees though it modified in the afternoon. Saturday was still hot but not so extreme. There were heavy losses in rabbits and poultry. Jim Proctor on Tropico avenue lost six does, W. E. Noble an equal number. Ernest Morgan and Mr. Myers of Vine street also lost rabbits. Poultry suffered considerably, one poultryman in Eagle Rock losing fifteen. Further inland in the San Fernando Valley the heat was even more intense than here, Burbank thermometers registering 111 on Thursday.

Bean vines were badly cooked in some localities and potatoes wilted.

TROPICO PRIVILEGED

Rev. O. P. Rider is anxious Tropico people should realize their good fortune is being given an opportunity to hear Al Saunders, the most noted trail hitter in the service of Billy Sunday, at the Tropico Methodist church next Sunday evening. "Al" is in such great request that Mr. Rider considers Tropico very lucky to get him. He will tell the story of his conversion and the effect of the Billy Sunday campaign in Scranton.

PROCEEDINGS OF BOARD OF TRUSTEES

All members were present when the Board was called to order last Tuesday evening by President Peters.

Written communications presented by Clerk Van Wie included one relative to fees for recording vital statistics for the State Board of Health to be collected by the Clerk. Ordered placed on file.

Street Signs

A communication from R. H. Flinn relative to street signs used in connection with light globes was referred ot unfinished business and came up later when a circular descriptive of the letters which could be attached to lamp globes was examined by the Board and President Peters instructed to investigate the matter, determine the number of signs which would be needed and their probable cost, also to look into other methods of posting street names and report at next meeting.

Consolidation Petition Returned

Under the call for oral communications Mr. Todd appeared before the Board and asked for the return of the petition presented one week ago for the consolidation of Glendale and Tropico on the ground that it could not be acted upon for thirty days because of the prior resolution passed by the Los Angeles City Council relative to the annexation of Tropico to that city. Some discussion followed the request, Trustee Seal protesting against the return of the petition. City Attorney Shaw ruled that on account of the Los Angeles action referred to, the petition could not be legally accepted and filed in Tropico. On motion of Trustee Henry the Board voted to return the document to Mr. Todd, Seal voting "No." In that connection, on motion of Seal, seconded by Veselich, the Board instructed Attorney Shaw to furnish a written opinion on the matter.

Foreclosure Under Bond

City Attorney Shaw under the call for reports presented a resolution instructing the City Treasurer to proceed to advertise and sell the real estate described in Bond No. 10 for the improvement of Park avenue on which principal and interest is delinquent. On motion of Henry the resolution was adopted.

Armenian Relief Deferred

Under the call for committee reports the Finance Committee expressed itself as unprepared to recommend a donation for Armenian relief and the matter went over for one week.

Fire Works

Marshal Gould reported that at his request merchants handling fire works had agreed not to sell until the 25th and on his recommendation the Board instructed the City Clerk to revoke the permission given Berna Martin to sell before that date.

Siren Contract

President Peters reported that in conformity with the instructions of the Board he had altered the contract with the Federal Electric Company striking out "3-phase" and substituting "1-phase" current, also making the price $250 f. o. b. Chicago instead of $210 to cover the difference in cost of the one-phase current motor, and had returned to contract to the Company for execution.

Traffic Signs

In response to inquiry by the Board as to whether the "slow down" sign had been placed on Glendale avenue between Forest and San Fernando, the City Marshal stated it was not yet

NOTICE

In accordance with section 7, Ordinance No. 24, the Board of Trustees of the City of Tropico hereby orders that all dogs within the city limits of the City of Tropico shall be prohibited from running at large on any street, lane, alley or other public place in such city, unless securely muzzled or led by a chain or line, so as to effectually prevent them from biting any person or animal.

"It shall be the duty of the City Marshal, after twenty-four hours from the publishing of this order, to kill all dogs found unmuzzled or running at large contrary to this order.

Signed

J. W. Gould,
City Marshal.

placed but ...e materials had been ordered. The Marshal was instructed to place a turning sign at San Fernando and Glendale Boulevards.

New Flag

President Peters called attention to the ragged flag which disgraces the City Hall and Trustee Veselich was instructed to purchase a new one for the city.

Cesspool

A complaint submitted by the Building Inspector that the new cesspool at the rear of the Davenport Block has too small a diameter to comply with the city ordinance was discussed, and the Inspector was instructed to enforce the provisions of the ordinance.

Check Vents

On the report of the Fire Chief that two check vents, one in the City Hall and one in the Engine House will not hold water and that he would repair same if cement were furnished, the Board voted to provide the material.

Fire Risk

The dangers from grass fires were discussed and Marshal Gould was instructed to make a canvass of the vacant lots and unoccupied property in the city with a view to having same burned off by the fire department or fire guards made.

Donation for Fire Works

On the request of Robert Taylor for a donation for fire works on the Municipal Playgrounds the night of July 4th, the Board voted to contribute $5.

Duplicate Parts

President Peters reported the break-down of the fire engine through the breaking of a piston rod and the repair of same. On his recommendation that duplicate parts likely to be needed be ordered from the East to meet such emergencies, the Board voted to order the list of parts furnished by Mr. Peters.

Keeping Up Dogs

On the recommendation of Dr. Mabry that during the present hot weather a notice be published requiring dogs to be kept off the street, the Board instructed the City Clerk to have such notice published once in the Tropico Sentinel.

The following demands approved by the Finance Committe were submitted and ordered paid: Puente Oil Company $7; Title G. & Trust $79; George Miller $12.50; Tropico Feed and Fuel Co., $4.05.

The Board then adjourned.

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Subject June 24, "Is the Universe, Including Man, Evolved by Atomic Force?"

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Laurel and Central Aves., Tropico

Pastor, Rev. O. P. Rider, 208 East Acacia street.

Sunday morning service, 11 o'clock; Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Christian Endeavor meeting Sunday at 6:30 p. m., H. E. Fry, president; Sunday evening service 7:30 o'clock; midweek prayer meeting, Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock; Ladies' Aid all day meeting, the second Thursday in the month, Mrs. S. E. Brown, president; Woman's Missionary Meeting, the fourth Thursday afternoon in the month, Mrs. Merritt Ludden, president; Phileathea Class, Miss Edna Brown, president; Men's Bible Class, Sam Brown, president.

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Pastor, Rev. Don Ford, 406 Central Avenue.

Sunday morning service at 11 o'clock; Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Epworth League 6:30 p. m., Will Hewett, president; Sunday evening service 7:30 o'clock; Junior League 2:30 p. m. Norma Wallace President; midweek prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock; Woman's Foreign Missionary Society meeting the second Thursday afternoon in the month, Mrs. Henry Goodsill, president; Woman's Home Misisonary Society meeting the fourth Tuesday in the month, Mrs. Mary Cole, president; Ladies' Aid meeting the first Tuesday in the month, Mrs. Lorena Cramer, president.

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